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INSTRUCTION BOOKLET

PLEASE CAREFULLY READ THE WII™ OPERATIONS MANUAL COMPLETELY BEFORE USING YOUR WII HARDWARE SYSTEM, GAME DISC OR ACCESSORY. THIS MANUAL CONTAINS IMPORTANT HEALTH AND SAFFTY INFORMATION

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION: READ THE FOLLOWING WARNINGS BEFORE YOU OR YOUR CHILD PLAY VIDEO GAMES.

A WARNING - Seizures

- Some people (about 1 in 4000) may have seizures or blackouts triggered by light flashes or
 patterns, and this may occur while they are watching TV or playing video games, even if they have
 never had a seizure before.
- Anyone who has had a seizure, loss of awareness, or other symptom linked to an epileptic condition should consult a doctor before playing a video game.
- Parents should watch their children play video games. Stop playing and consult a doctor if you or your child has any of the following symptoms:

Convulsions Eye or muscle twitching Altered vision
Loss of awareness Involuntary movements Disorientation

- To reduce the likelihood of a seizure when playing video games:
 - 1. Sit or stand as far from the screen as possible.
 - 2. Play video games on the smallest available television screen.
 - 3. Do not play if you are tired or need sleep.
 - 4. Play in a well-lit room.
 - 5. Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour.

WARNING - Repetitive Motion Injuries and Eyestrain

Playing video games can make your muscles, joints, skin or eyes hurt. Follow these instructions to avoid problems such as tendinitis, carpal tunnel syndrome, skin irritation or eyestrain:

- Avoid excessive play. Parents should monitor their children for appropriate play.
- Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour, even if you don't think you need it.
- If your hands, wrists, arms or eyes become tired or sore while playing, or if you feel symptoms such
 as tingling, numbness, burning or stiffness, stop and rest for several hours before playing again.
- If you continue to have any of the above symptoms or other discomfort during or after play, stop playing and see a doctor.

A CAUTION - Motion Sickness

Playing video games can cause motion sickness in some players. If you or your child feel dizzy or nauseous when playing video games, stop playing and rest. Do not drive or engage in other demanding activity until you feel better.

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Please note that when first loading the Game Disc into the Wii console, the Wii will check if you have the latest system menu, and if necessary a Wii system update screen will appear. Press OK to proceed.

When the system menu is updated, unauthorized hardware and/or



software modifications may be detected and unauthorized content may be removed causing the immediate or delayed inoperability of your console. Failure to accept the update may render this game, and future games, unplayable. Please note that Nintendo cannot guarantee that unauthorized software or accessories will continue to function with the Wii console after this or future undates of the Wii system menu.

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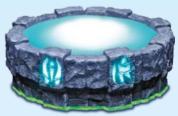
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INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the magical world of Skylands. You are now an elite Portal Master with the power to control the *Portal of Power* and bring the mighty Skylanders to life. Together, your mission is to save Skylands from the evil darkness that has taken over

PORTAL OF POWER

To begin *Skylanders Spyro's Adventure*™, the *Portal of Power* must first be synched up to your Wii. First remove the USB wireless receiver from the battery compartment and install the batteries. With the Wii powered off, insert the USB receiver into an available port on the back of the Wii. Power on your Wii system first and then power on your



Portal of Power. More information on how to set up your Portal of Power can be found in your Quick Start Guide. It is through the Portal of Power that the Skylanders can enter the ancient islands that make up Skylands. Once placed on the Portal of Power, the Skylander will come to life on screen and be playable in game.

TOY PLACEMENT

You may place up to 3 toys on the *Portal of Power* at once, which includes 2 playable Skylanders (for 2 player mode only) and 1 Magic Item or 1 Location Piece (sold separately).



GAMEPLAY CONTROLS



A CAUTION: WRIST STRAP USE

Please use the wrist strap to help prevent injury to other people or damage to surrounding objects or the Wii Remote in case you accidentally let go of the Wii Remote during gameplay.

Also remember the following:

- · Make sure all players put on the wrist strap properly when it is their turn.
- · Do not let go of the Wii Remote during game play.
- · Dry your hands if they become moist.
- · Allow adequate room around you during gameplay and make sure that all areas you might move into are clear of other people and objects.
- · Stay at least three feet from the television.
- · Use the Wii Remote Jacket.



MENUS

MENU NAVIGATION

+Control Pad/Control Stick - Navigate menus.

A Button - Press to accept.

B Button - Press to go back to the previous menu or cancel.

MAIN MENU

Skyland Adventures - Enter the adventure mode and play with 1 or 2 players.

Battle Mode - Challenge a friend in a variety of battle modes and arenas. Settings - Adjust General Settings (Visiting Nicknames), Audio (Music, Voice, Effects), and View Controls Lavout.

PAUSE MENU

Chapter Select - Enter a previously completed level.

Objectives - Displays level goals.

Collections - View Skylanders, Legendary Treasures, Accolades and Story Scrolls.

Settings - Adjust General Settings (Visiting Nicknames), Audio (Music, Voice, Effects), and View Controls Layout.

Exit - Leave to the Main Menu/Ruins.

PLAYING THE GAME

THE RUINS

Start your adventure at the center of Skylands by exploring the mystical Ruins. Throughout your journey, you will meet a colorful cast of characters who will help you complete your mission to save Skylands.

IN-GAME DISPLAY - SKYLAND ADVENTURES MODE



- Life Meter The green meter displays the amount of Health your Skylander has. If the life meter of any Skylander reaches zero, they must be removed and replaced with a different Skylander.
- Currency Collecting various forms of treasure will allow you to purchase upgrades.
- 3. Level and Level Meter This displays the current level of your Skylander. When the yellow meter is filled up, your Skylander will level up. The max level a Skylander can reach is 10.
- Victory Points Collecting these Victory Points will increase your Level Meter.
- 5. Elemental Symbol Displays the elemental symbol of your Skylander.
- 6. **Elemental Bonus Symbol** Different areas of the Skylands have different elemental energies. When you switch to a Skylander of that element, it will have extra power in that area.
- Health Pick Up Collecting food pick ups will restore some of your Life Meter.
- 8. **Collectible Treasure** Collecting special items in game will build up your treasure collection.

PLAYING THE GAME



SKYLANDER INFO

Press the "-" Button to view and manage each of your Skylanders in the "Skylander Info" menu.

The "Stats" tab will allow you to view and track the progress of your Skylander's abilities.

 You can increase your Skylander's maximum health by collecting Victory Points when defeating enemies.



- Find the adventurer Cali in the Ruins to participate in her Heroic Challenges to further boost your other stats.
- Your Hero Level is your heroic progress on the Skylanders Spyro's UniverseSM Website!

The "Powers" tab allows you to view which upgrades your Skylander has acquired.

Use the "Manage" tab to customize your Skylander.

- Nicknames: Each Skylander can have a nickname that will be displayed in place of their standard name
- Hats: As you progress through the game, look out for hidden gift boxes containing stylish Skylander

Hats that boost your stats. Any Skylander can wear any Hat.



- Ownership: This option allows you to take ownership of a visiting Skylander to add it to your collection.
- Web Code: Each Skylander has their own unique web code based on their current stats and level. Each web code can be used to update your Skylander online in Skylanders Spyro's Universe.
- Reset: Want to try a different upgrade path? This option will reset any Skylander back to level 1, removing its Victory Points, Upgrades, and Currency.

PLAYING THE GAME

UPGRADES

In the Ruins the user can visit the fairy Persephone and purchase upgrades with collected currency.



ELEMENTAL CLASSES

Each Skylander possesses the power of one of 8 Elemental Classes. The Elemental Classes include:

















ELEMENTAL GATES

Throughout Skylands, there are Elemental Gates that only Skylanders of that element can open. Inside are special areas containing new challenges, collectibles and other rewards for you to discover!

CO-OP PLAY

At any time during Adventure Mode, a second player can join the game by hitting the A Button on their Wii Remote, and then placing a Skylander on the *Portal of Power*. To drop out of the gameplay, Player 1 or Player 2 must remove their Skylander from the *Portal of Power*, then press the B Button on their Wii Remote.

BATTLE MODE





Choose from a variety of Battle Mode arenas and have a brawl against a friend. Use the items, traps and jump pads to your advantage as you try to become the ultimate Portal Master. Challenge a friend in three different head-to-head modes:

Arena Rumble: A head-to-head battle to determine who will reign supreme.

SkyGoals: Outscore your opponent! Pick up the ball, then carry it to the goal or throw it using C Button. Force fumbles by attacking.

SkyGem Master: Be the first to collect five gems! Make your opponent drop gems by hitting them with an attack.

When prompted, place Player 1's and then Player 2's Skylanders on the *Portal of Power*. Note that both must remain on the *Portal of Power* during Battle Mode. In Player Vs Player, some elements are stronger against other elements - experiment and find out!

MATCH SETTINGS MENU

- 1. **Restore Health** After a round, your Skylander is fully healed.
- 2. Powerups Boost items are added in the fight.
- 3. Food Food is dropped to heal your Skylander.
- 4. **Arena Hazards** Toggle the option on to add dangerous traps to ensnare your opponent.
- Fair Fight Toggle the option on to remove all levels and balance upgrades for the duration of the fight.

SAVE FEATURES

TOY SAVE FEATURE

While on your home *Portal of Power* the following items are saved to your toys:

- Victory Points and Experience Level
- The "Nickname" that you give to your Skylander
- Currency
- Upgraded abilities and Statistics
- The Hat your Skylander is wearing

This allows you to take your Skylander to another *Portal of Power* and play with your very own upgraded and personalized collection of Skylanders. While at your friend's house your Skylander will continue to remember and will save all of the Currency and Victory Points it has earned and collected.

GAME SAVE

Your progress through the story mode, as well as certain types of collectibles are saved onto your save game slot as opposed to being saved on your toy. These collectibles include Story Scrolls, Soul Gems, and Legendary Treasures.

Take your own personalized Skylanders to a friend's house and help them with their quest... or fight against them in Battle Mode!



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